

"Ma foi! I'm ready for it!" cried the doctor. "That gallop gave me a ferocious appetite."  
"Why, Myrtil! serve the Madeira to the gentlemen."  
This time Myrtil obeyed.  
It was 4 o'clock in the afternoon when

markedly successful. The vessel selected was anchored ten miles from the shore in sixty feet of water. For eight months messages have been sent and received in all weather, with but a single interruption from a break in the cable. Passing vessels have been signaled and reported; orders transmitted from owners to their ships approaching or leaving port; the state of wind and tide communicated to waiting mariners; and timely notice given of the occurrence and location of wrecks.

He wrote the book of circumstances which constituted the plot of *Called Back*. With the original of "Gilbert Vaughan," then staying at Clifton, he had many a conversation. On this point, however, he was extremely reticent, and after the departure of that gentleman for London to consult a distinguished oculist nothing

When the pen begins to hesitate he stops  
k. He writes little at one time, but  
little freely. The preparatory look-  
over references is done after break-  
Next follows a long walk, during  
which he sifts the evidences, constructs  
page or chapter mentally, and has its  
line before his eyes when he begins

to his own works for praise or de-  
 cision precisely as if they were those  
 of any other novelist. Who has the  
 right of the matter? Was Mr. Gilder  
 representative of 'Mr. Howells under-  
 stand?' It is a capital question for  
 debating societies that are organizing  
 for the winter.

Chinese" Ward. . .  
York *Triune* reporter "that he  
most remarkable man—a greater  
my opinion, than Gordon, though

grape vines from San Francisco. The vineyard is to be given to the city. The great Vina rancho, with 1,000,000 vines are growing, and are being sold at living rates in acre and in bunches, and the proceeds to go to the university fund. The land, in the vineyard, is to be leased in the same manner as the vineyard, and the proceeds to go to the university fund. The vineyard is to be given to the city. The great Vina rancho, with 1,000,000 vines are growing, and are being sold at living rates in acre and in bunches, and the proceeds to go to the university fund. The land, in the vineyard, is to be leased in the same manner as the vineyard, and the proceeds to go to the university fund.

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 y Branch he is keeping  
 at his lordly domain at  
 n the Hud-on. Mr. Dine-  
 nment theater-goer, and he  
 ilbert have many reminis-  
 mon of the Boston stage.

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